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**ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
BUTTE DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JASON ANDREW BAIROS,

Defendant.

CR 15- 4 -BU-DLC

INDICTMENT

**CONSPIRACY TO DISTRIBUTE
METHAMPHETAMINE**

Title 21 U.S.C. § 846 (Count I)
(Penalty: Mandatory minimum ten years to
life imprisonment, \$10,000,000 fine, and at
least five years supervised release)

**POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO
DISTRIBUTE METHAMPHETAMINE**

Title 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) (Count II)
(Penalty: Mandatory minimum ten years to
life imprisonment, \$10,000,000 fine, and at
least five years supervised release)

	<p>POSSESSION OF A FIREARM IN FURTHERANCE OF A DRUG TRAFFICKING CRIME Title 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A) (Count III) (Penalty: Mandatory minimum five years to life imprisonment, \$250,000 fine, and five years supervised release)</p> <p>DISTRIBUTION OF METHAMPHETAMINE Title 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) (Counts IV and V) (Penalty: Mandatory minimum five to 40 years imprisonment, \$5,000,000 fine, and at least four years supervised release)</p> <p>TITLE 21 PENALTIES MAY BE ENHANCED FOR PRIOR DRUG-RELATED FELONY CONVICTIONS</p>
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THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT I

That beginning in or around June 2014, and continuing through on or about September 2014, in Gallatin County, in the State and District of Montana, and elsewhere, the defendant, JASON ANDREW BAIROS, knowingly and unlawfully conspired with other persons, known and unknown to the Grand Jury, to distribute, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), 500 grams or more of a substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846.

COUNT II

That beginning in or around June 2014, and continuing through on or about September 2014, in Gallatin County, in the State and District of Montana, the defendant, JASON ANDREW BAIROS, knowingly and unlawfully possessed, with the intent to distribute, 500 grams or more of a substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1).

COUNT III

That beginning in or around June 2014, and continuing through on or about September 2014, in Gallatin County, in the State and District of Montana, and elsewhere, the defendant, JASON ANDREW BAIROS, knowingly possessed a firearm in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime that may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is conspiracy to distribute methamphetamine and possession with the intent to distribute methamphetamine, as alleged in Counts I and II, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 924(c)(1)(A).

COUNT IV

That on or about August 14, 2014, in Gallatin County, in the State and District of Montana, the defendant, JASON ANDREW BAIROS, knowingly and unlawfully distributed more than 50 grams of a substance containing a detectable

amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1).

COUNT V

That on or about August 26, 2014, in Gallatin County, in the State and District of Montana, the defendant, JASON ANDREW BAIROS, knowingly and unlawfully distributed more than 50 grams of a substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1).

A TRUE BILL.

Foreperson signature redacted. Original document filed under seal.



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Crim. Summons _____

Warrant: ☒ State Custody

Bail: _____